Office of State Budget and Management Establish New, Receipt-Supported Positions

(G.S. 143-34.1)

Agency: Dept of Public Instruction	Division: _	Secondary Education	
Budget Code: 13510 Center Title: Curriculum &	& School Reform	<u> Services</u> Center Number:	<u>1600</u>
*** Position Information ***			

Proposed Classification: Education Consultant II Proposed Salary Grade: 77

Salary Range: \$45,185 to \$71,545 Proposed Effective Date: 3/1/06

Number of Positions: 1

	Center Authorized Budget		Current Request	
		(as of 12/31/05)	Includes Salary & Benefits	
Total Budget	\$	61,044,768	\$ 85,646	
Receipts		52,162,160	85,646	
Appropriation	\$	8,882,608	\$ 0	

Funding Source(s): Title 1

Justification for Position (including description of duties and responsibilities):

The primary purpose of this position is to supervise and align the development, enhancement, assessment, and maintenance of Science standards and curriculum at the secondary level. The duties of this position also include developing teacher training and instructional modules for implementing the standard course of study and assisting low-performing schools in achieving their performance goals in Physical Science, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, and the new high school exit standards. The consultant will strengthen secondary Science by making research-based recommendation for policy, program, and fiscal operations. In addition, the consultant will provide visionary leadership in Science for the state and for new high school initiatives.

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